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SUBJECT: ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE (ECE) TWENTY-FIFTH  
SESSION COMMITTEE OF AGRICULTURAL PROBLEMS,  
GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, FEBRUARY 4-8, 1974

1. COMMITTEE CONCLUDED ITS TWENTY-FIFTH SESSION ON SCHEDULE.  
ALL MEMBER COUNTRIES WITH EXCEPTION ALBANIA, ATTENDED. CANADA  
PARTICIPATED FOR FIRST TIME AS FULL MEMBER. ISRAEL AND JAPAN  
PARTICIPATED UNDER ARTICLE 11 OF ECE TERMS OF CONFERENCE.

2. AMONG OTHER THINGS, COMMITTEE REVIEWED MARKET SITUATION FOR  
CERALS, MEAT AND LIVESTOCK AND DAIRY PRODUCTS; APPROVED WORK  
PROGRAM FOR 1974-75 AND MEDIUM TERM WORK PLAN FOR 1975-79.  
COMMITTEE ALSO REVIEWED WORK OF ITS FIVE SUBSIDIARY BODIES.

4. THE COMMITTEE DECIDED TO HOLD AN INTENSIVE DISCUSSION ON  
MEAT AT ITS NEXT SESSION. THIS WILL REPLACE THE COUNTRY  
STATEMENTS AND THE REVIEW OF SELECTED COMMODITIES. DELEGATIONS  
WERE ENCOURAGED TO INCLUDE AN EXPERT OR EXPERTS ON MEAT ON THEIR  
DELEGATIONS TO THE 25TH SESSION.

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4. EXECUTIVE SECRETARY MR. STANOVNIK, IN ADDRESSING COMMITTEE

REFERRED TO PRONOUNCED STRUCTURAL CHANGES OF AGRICULTURE, WHICH UNDER IMPACT OF TECHNOLOGICAL REVOLUTION HAD BEEN TRANSFORMED INTO MODERN MARKETS ORIENTED INDUSTRY. RECOGNIZED THAT NONE OF PRESENT ECONOMIC PROBLEMS WOULD BE SOLVED IN ISOLATION. IN THIS CONTEXT THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY REFERRED TO RECENT PRICE DEVELOPMENTS, MONETARY PROBLEMS, AND IN PARTICULAR ENERGY PROBLEMS WHICH HAVE GREAT IMPACT ON AGRICULTURE.

5. 26TH SESSION OF COMMITTEE SCHEDULED  
FOR MARCH 3-7, 1975.DALE

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